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New mines are being sunk in the Ostrava-Karvinna basin at the following locations:

- a. Ostrava Hrabuvka:
 - Near the airport on the road Hrabuvka Stara Bela. Work began in March 1951.
 - 2. Mining operations commenced in June 1950 near the Frydek-Mistek road.
- b. Ostrava Svinov:

Approximately 500 meters from the railroad station Svinov - Vitkovice. This mine is named Jan Sverma II.

c. Staric in Frydek - Mistek:

Extensive deposits of coal, most of it suitable for coke production, have been discovered here. Operations began in January 1951.

- d. Karvinna;
 - Operations in this area are extensive and several mines have been sunk.
 The town will be evacuated.
 - 2. Activity at the mines has greatly increased. The number of railroad loading ramps inside the surface installation has been increased to 14.

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